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Supplemental Amendment (15 pages)

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 20, 2002 and the Interview with the Examiner on April 29, 2003, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for scheduling an Interview. The Interview was informative and hopefully productive. The following supplemental amendment is a result of the Interview.